## **REMARKS**

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 28, 2008. Claims 1-2, 4-6, 8 and 11-14 are pending.

The Section 112 rejections have been addressed and resolved by the changes to the claims set forth above. All claims are now in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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